UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

PHILIP L. TROPEANO, ET AL

٧.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 03-12231-RGS

CHARLENE DORMAN, ET AL

ORDER REGULATING NON-JURY TRIAL BEFORE STEARNS, DJ.

STEARNS, DJ MAY 10, 2007

THE ABOVE-CAPTIONED ACTION IS SCHEDULED FOR A NON-JURY TRIAL COMMENCING

ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2007 AT 9:30 A.M. IN COURTROOM #21, 7th Floor, JOHN JOSEPH MOAKLEY UNITED STATES COURTHOUSE, BOSTON, MA.

ON OR BEFORE **DECEMBER 10, 2007** COUNSEL SHALL FILE THE FOLLOWING

DOCUMENTS WITH THE CLERK:

TO BE JOINTLY FILED BY COUNSEL:

- 1. A STIPULATION OF FACTS AGREED TO BY THE PARTIES;
- 2. A LIST OF EXHIBITS TO BE INTRODUCED WITHOUT OBJECTION, IDENTIFIED BY A SINGLE SEQUENCE OF NUMBERS, REGARDLESS OF WHICH PARTY IS THE PROPONENT OF AN EXHIBIT;
- 3. A LIST OF MARKED ITEMS TO BE OFFERED AT TRIAL AS TO WHICH AN OPPOSING PARTY HAS RESERVED THE RIGHT TO OBJECT, IDENTIFIED BY A SINGLE SEQUENCE OF CAPITAL LETTERS, REGARDLESS OF WHICH PARTY IS THE PROPONENT OF AN EXHIBIT:
- 4. A LIST OF PROSPECTIVE WITNESSES;
- 5. A LIST OF DEPOSITIONS TO BE USED AT TRIAL BY EACH PARTY IDENTIFYING THE PORTIONS TO BE USED BY PAGE AND LINE NUMBERS, AND ANY OBJECTIONS. IF OBJECTIONS ARE TO BE PRESERVED, RULINGS MUST BE SOUGHT PRIOR TO TRIAL.

TO BE FILED BY EACH COUNSEL, SEPARATELY, AFTER TRIAL:

A STATEMENT OF PROPOSED FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, WHICH ARE TO BE FILED WITH THE COURT ACCORDING
TO THE "BRIEFING SCHEDULE" WHICH WILL BE ESTABLISHED AT THE CONCLUSION
OF THE TRIAL. EACH PROPOSED FINDING AND CONCLUSION IS TO BE SET OUT IN A SEPARATELY NUMBERED PARAGRAPH.

SO ORDERED.

RICHARD G. STEARNS UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

BY:

/s/ Mary H. Johnson

Deputy Clerk

DATED: **5-10-07**